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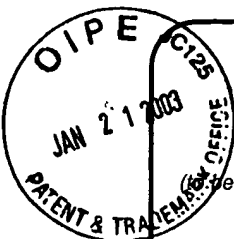
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 29, 2002 (paper no. 6),
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 2, 4, 13, and 20; amend Claims 1, 3, 5 – 12, and 14 –
19; and add Claims 21 – 23 so that the pending claims read as follows:

1. (Amended) A stored-value card system, which comprises:
a card issued by a card issuing institution;

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